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## COMMUNICATIONS

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### Our Mississippi Letter.

VICKSBURG, MISS., July 27, 1873. For the past three weeks I have been kept

busy in our political affairs that I have not had time to pen you a line. And even now I am just enjoying a breathing spell. The excitement among the aspirants for the various offices, from Governor down to Constable, is at fever heat. Some of them are resorting to mean, low, and disgraceful abuse and vituperation, whilst others are contend ing with each other upon strictly honorable principles, and are perfectly friendly in their

strife for the same offices.

It is a foregone conclusion that Gen. Ames will be nominated for Governor, in spite of a strong opposition that is being brought against him. There is no man in the State who stands better with the Republicans than Gen. Ames. He is young, but stands firmly fixed in his principles, and fights his opponents with determined energy. His adr tration of affairs as military governor of the State, and his manly course as United States Senator, have endeared him to the people; and there is no position that he would become a candidate for but he could get. As strong, however, as Gen. Ames is, it would indeed be a hard matter for him to succeed Gov. Powers, if he (Gov. P.) was not influenced by certain men who have comparatively no influence with the party. He affered these men to get into his confidence, and induced him to resort to certain measures which are antagonistic to the interest of the party and of the people. I have always believed that Gov. Powers is sincere in his motives, and honest in his purposes; but his

The colored people of the State intend to have a larger representation on the State of races." retary of State-but I think colored men will be nominated in our next convention for Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, does not seek light or information, but he and Superintendent of Education. This will deliberately arrays himself in opposition to not be a fair representation in proportion to present. There are about six aspirants for eutenant Governor; ten for Secretary of State, and four for Superintendent of Education. We expect stormy times in our Convention, but I trust a good ticket will be presented to the people, which will command their undivided support.

In commencing my personnels a few weeks since, I intended including three of our most hat, "sarvant, Massa," then "our civilizapromising young men in the State, but have failed to mention them. I trust, therefore, maxims, and sentiments," all go out after that you will give space for them, and hence- him with that gushing fullness and freeness forth my letters shall be confined to general that the water exhibited when Moses smote One of the gentlemen is my

H. H. GOODRUM, ESQ.,

his manners, stylish in his dress, command-ing in appearance, and a good, well-cultivat-lot, and he becomes free even though he exing in appearance, and a good, well-cultivat-ed mind, he stands number one with the young men of the State. Could friend Goodrum devote four or five years more to deprived "of the protection which an eco intellectual training, he would be a bright nomical interest had established in his favor," star in the galaxy of rising men. I have he is placed "in extreme and perpetual often employed him in my office whenever jeopardy," says the writer, and here we have there is any extra writing to be done, and

have always found him apt and business-like. He has about three-fourths aristocratic not pause to learn physical, intellectual, and Mississippi blood flowing through his veins. moral differences; these are not essential to the is about twenty-three years of age, and a proper solution as to whether two races can has more of Pinchback's carriage than any live in the same country, differing, as they

Another rising young man of our State is

of Washington county. If there is anything that gladdens one's heart, and makes him feel that our country is being handed adhere to the teachings of holy writ, and all down to wiser generations, it is to see our the talk about physical, intellectual, and young men preparing themselves for the

Friend Worles is one of the most a ing young men we have in the State. Well between right and wrong as applicable to educated, bright in intellect, shrewd in his men. practices, an indefatigable student, he has a He was appointed by the Legislature in 1870 appreciate the situation all the appliances of part of that year, and removed to Green-ville, Washington county, where he could are enabled to solve them by an application ave a wider field of usefulness, and where of some of the rules which sur be could better devote himself to the study sciences. Here he was employed as deputy Circuit Clerk, which gave him a thorough practical knowledge of law. And last year, the same country.

What difference does it make to us when ough and searching examination. One of we determine to disagree whether our moral, his first cases brought him a fee of twelve or intellectual, and physical natures are alike fifteen hundred dollars! He is now employ- or not? How often do we see the boy in all ed by the Board of Supervisors of his county as its attorney, and discharges his and yet that very boy finds himself as widely duty acceptably to the entire community. different from his parent in his likes and dis-Truly, friend Werles has a bright future, and likes as one pole is distant from the other.

Another of our strong young men is

PETER CROSBY, ESQ.,
County Treasurer of this county. Friend black and white, find their birth and culture in causes far below the standard which intel-Lincoln than any one I have ever seen. mean prejudices, generated three almost impossible for him to stand erect.

s, his opponents will have to work like lost prestige at Hastings, and their ancient of other States to aspire to positions in this history from that eventful, disastrous day, do their duty? wever, this is only the can put his pen upon any well conceived ex made an unexceptionable Treasurer; and, the recovery of should be get into the Sheriff's office, I know They seemed

special young friend

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JOSEPH W. PILES, ESQ.,

that a relative of his told me of him.

felt it safer to make tracks.

friend, Hon. James H. Piles, alias "Tacitus."

War of Races

In the discussion the writer of the article

Like others who have gone before him, he

is even ready (as soon as he sees the shadow

the rock in the wilderness.

the cue to his negro hate.

must, in many essentials.

of a white man across his path) to doff his

But Pompey is tired using the hoe, and the

He is tired with ignorance, and he buys a

changes his hoe for a Springfield rifle. Pom-

pey being in this advanced condition, and deprived "of the protection which an eco-

In reconciling one with the other we do

It depends upon whether the dor

party have the moral courage to do right,

whether there is enough true Christianity in

moral differences are side issues, conjured

in any way have bearing upon deciding as

When we soar away into the higher regions

But we cannot apply these rules when the

problem is: can the races live in peace in

respects the very ambrotype of the father,

To the Editors of the New National Era and Citizen

"War of Races."

extermination.

of Washington county.

There are many young men who are young in years but as matured in their habits as men of forty and fifty years. And this subject is one of them. He is slow in his deliberations, fixed in his professions as the needles of the compass. He is never hasty in anything, but

field, that the Saxon felt less the master's gradually he gentlemen who manage the institution.

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We need to avail ourselves and humanity.

You are needled South. Three millions means in our reach for intellectual and moral and more of colored people require your aid and support. This is evident, and it is futile to attempt to explain it away. always feels that the affairs of life require

more of slow and deliberate action than hasty To illustrate this I will relate an incident "easy to moralize" and find soothing excuses when we have sworn to lay the heavy hand sults. On a certain night his mother thought a upon the man at our elbow because we know robber was in the house, and he being the only male in the house at the time, his ther called him several times, crying in his eye.
Races of men disagree not "because they "Joseph! Joseph!! A robber is in the house; get up and give the alarm." He was

"Joseph! Joseph!! A robber is in the house; get up and give the alarm." He was slow in answering, and his mother called him a second time. But instead of rising causes, which is not admitted) but incapable immediately, he replied with deliberation, because they propose to have it so, and thus "Mother, please give me time to think." hate is generated. But when he did rise the robber, doubtless,

We do not envy the man who admits, like felt it safer to make tracks.

I have always felt a strong friendship for Mr. Piles from our first meeting, and the more I see of him the more I am impressed with his stability of character and his manly

Mr. Dies from our first meeting, and the more I see of him the more I am impressed with his stability of character and his manly

Mr. Covering man, that as against "special interest" or "special emitty," civilization, Christianity, education, enlightenment, maxims and sentiments go for little." If these fail to lift humanity to a higher plane, to fail to lift humanity to a higher plane, to principles. He is a brother of my other conjure justice, then our Bible is a mere volume filled with idle fables which have no of Panola county, and a son of Mr. Piles, of origin in truth, and hence entitled to no re-Springfield, Ohio, one of the wealthiest and most social colored men of that State.

After

As you will see, I commenced this letter that man who contributed to the present nearly two weeks since, but trust that it retains its freshness.

CIVIS.

CIVIS. were compelled. Men were as they are now, out instruments working out the fiat of God. No man more than Mr. Lincoln was in favor In looking over some recent numbers of of allowing slavery to remain within the old perity. The results of the late conflict be the Capital, we read an article upon the slave-holding States, and he yielded to the logic of events only when convinced that it Since the rebellion changed the status of was impossible to save the Union without adgment is juvenile, which unfits him to be the standard-bearer of a great party, and done their best to impress the people with the standard-bearer of a great party, and the standard-bearer of the affairs of the State. the idea that sooner or later we will have upon us what they are pleased to call a "war of it.

The red man may read his future in the ticket during the next Administration than we have had during the present. We fear a calamity of this kind. Men who have now have but one colored State officer—Section done right, and whose consciences don't is likely to remain above ground some time, retary of State—but I think colored men haunt them, have no suspicions, no dread.

There is no comparison to be instituted between the Indian and the negro, for to the country they maintain different relations, and are to be estimated on a different ratio. all weaker races, and in his own way excuses The Indian has never been self-produ our numbers, but it is all that we ask for the the means used by the stronger looking to he has always been a consumer and a tax upon the country, and in the fields and work-shops his footsteps are not discernable. is a negro admirer to this extent, as long as Different with the negro. The white man Pompey can wield a hoe, as long as he is and negro have walked in the same path, content with his condition, as long as he is meither being able to dismiss the other.

And in whatever enterprise the white man embarked, the black was there if only in the humble position of vallet. He had eyes, ears, memory; consequently he saw, heard, remembered. We fail to read his history in the history of the native Indian. The presence of the two races in the same school-house, the humanitarian laws upon our statute books made in his favor, the same accomm in cars, boats, and hotels, even the reforprofits escape into some other man's pocket. mation of our circuses and minstrel performances with so little or none of Jim Crow, the elevation of the negro to office, these and many other stubborn facts are conclusive evidence that the negro is a fixture in this

Yes, he is going to remain right here, the no process of extermination will drive him from the land of his birth.

Avery College.

## L'OUVRETURE

To the Editors of the New National Era and Cit This institution, which has been almost during the last quarter of a century the subthe friends of education and the colored people in this country, has been for some time under the management of a board of trustees who seem to have forgotten that the property tionship to humanity. There were other

up to mislead and bewilder, for they cannot they doubly remiss when remembering the benefit and comfort of men. duty which the obligation imposes upon them. Most assuredly every man is pledged to conclouds of ignorance to the acquisition of your anticipatory object is but a knowledge, we are led to believe that the completeness cannot be attained. managers, though able and competent, are

thing be done in an advanced direction?

reference to this college, and the opinion this is an unmantly plea-nugatory-and seems to be that this institution is still being therefore berefice between the college and the opinion this is an unmantly plea-nugatory-and his "contribution to freedom," July 4th, ling a majority of Republicans, while it can new earth in Virginia such a speech proseems to be that this institution is still being therefore harmful in the end. assiduously supervised and carried on in the The differences which lead to bloodshed lished.

founded solely for the education of colored useful in the State, rise to influence and youth, and, while Fisk, Alcorn, Wilberforce, honor; you must do it upon your own merits, Crosby reminds one more of Abraham lect and morals set up; they spring from Hampton, and Howard, and other institulong tions are nobly performing their work, it be- There are no royal paths to distinction or Tall, large-boned, and wiry in form, it seems | years of studied oppression. At this ad- comes a difficult matter to know why Avery

case when the men get in his way. He has tensive plan, originated by the Saxons, for continued any more than that our National tors of some nonsensical or flimsey show; made an unexceptionable Treasurer; and, the recovery of their lost liberties.

Government should suspend the administra-They seemed to have adapted themselves tion of public duties in time of mighty trials

### After Preparation Work.

To the Editors of the New National Era and Ciliara

prehends a new era in the history of Americitizen, both native-born and adopted, stand After all the hew and cry about this and only be upheld on this hemisphere on the world, to say nothing of our national prostween the North and South are sufficient evidence that the country is preeminently thriving. The right of all competent persons to testify in courts, to sit on juries, the ballot, and the positions of trust and influence held by colored men, bespeak for us national growth. The right to erect religious edifices, the

progress of State education, the growing condition of the South in her natural resources, by free labor, are happy features in our moral, intellectual, and physical status. The question I desire to lay before the

educated and talented young colored men of Washington and the more Northern cities is the importance of going South.

When I say the young colored men, I do not ask that all of this class of persons should necessarily make the South their permanent

of young men who have so eminently and have we not a healthy sentime efficiently, during the past ten years, fitted the interest of all the people? themselves as educators, lawyers, and physicians. To this class I propose to address myself, with a view, though the article may fail to have its immediate effect, to afford at least a wholesome gratification South for these young men is greater than the supply. John Milton is recorded to have said, if I recollect the exact words, "I care not how late I come into life, so I come prepared." That master composition, "Paradise Lost,"

exhibits great preparation. The combina-tion of his vast research in history, theology, ethics, and political and natural philosophy, with his native genius and matchless imagineighbor and friend of the white man, and nation, has achieved the grandest triumph in poetical literature that this world has ever of perfect equality. known, and possibly can know. It would have been a reproach, nay, a shame, upon Letter from our Cincianati Corthat man possessing the learning and ability which so wonderfully characterized Milton, to have lived and died without leaving the results of that knowledge, power, and skill for the enlightenment of coming ages. I Ohio politics, our campaign promises to be ject of much controversy and interest among refer to this fact because his work utters the sentiment of love, truth, immortality, and therefore a fit subject likely to touch the and the colored voters have a correspondconsciences of men in their duty and rela- ingly high sense of the importance of their does not belong to themselves but to the men in other times who have made excellent beaded by colored youth of America. preparation for the active duty of life, from If they have not forgotten this, then are which has eminated lasting results for the the present incumbent of the gubernatorial These are the only two positions thus far selves under many obligations for your gon

Noble deeds and memorable achievements Most assuredly every man is pledged to conserve the interests of the people whom he ment of these ends. Men seldom work out college, and by his own exertions has rapidserves. But when a public benefaction is great results without the necessary and re- ly climbed upward into both civil and mili- to young colored men, and it seems to never get journals—unprejudiced journals—like future before him that may well be envied. of intellectual and moral science, to fully allowed to waste beneath the stroke of quisit training which best fit them for the mouldering age, and the children of the rising work. Omit this preparatory course, wheas State Librarian, but resigned the latter education come to assist, and whatever generation are not bidden to go forth from ther in the field of science, law, or theology, Liberty party (don't confound it with with some patronage attached to it. Any we do with the negro your anticipatory object is but a name-its

little concerned whether humanity shall in this age of practicability to devote years its changes of names and vicissitudes of forshare the blessings of this munificent legacy. and expense through a college curriculum, tune till How long do they intend to continue the an academic school, or professional course How long do they intend to continue the school, or professional course school in its present relapsed condition?

Has the public no claims to be regarded? Should not the people demand that some thing be done in an advanced direction?

The state was described as we have is publican party. Independent Democratic party, Independent Democ position for the reason that the road is on- Noyes spent four years of service in the claims to protection and consideration, to ceptar We see repeated notices in the journals in ward to wealth, ease, and affluence. I say army during the war, and made what he calls

The age of America is eminently a practihas twice been amputated. Second we have rebels, cannot find a majority in favor of a its just, humans and progressive sentiments interest of those for whom it was estab-lished. cal age. We have no ecclesiastic or State preferments which characterise the English It is one of the first schools in the land Constitution. If you would be eminently His physiognomy denotes exceeding shrewdhess; and the manner in which he makes a

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Ghown-like figures—don't lie.

State express themselves wining to abide by the fact that perhaps every nation of the fact that perhaps of the figures—don't lie.

He is one of our most prominent candidates for Sheriff; and, were he not opposed by such strong men as Hon. C. W. Bush, W. T.

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onward to the accomplishment of good re- government in order that they may meet the our demands for employment in either State or fusion, trying to elect a temporary and government in order that they may meet the consideration given to national authority. The affinity of race is too obvious a settled principle of nature to minently completely c

The age in which we live eminently com-Education, the excellencies of real manprehends a new era in the history of American politics and legislation. The American citizen, both native-born and adopted, stand on the threshold of a new order of things, which is preparing the way for new influences. The barbarous practices of violence and wrong which unhappily characterize a large rest of America attribute their entire independent of the rest of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attribute their entire independent of Mark and the repulsion of America attri large part of American annuls, are giving place to higher aspirations and nobler sentiinto Madison. Henry, and others. Any place to higher aspirations and nobler sentiment. In all sections of our country the
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lent features in local and national gove each other, when they can see the results ment, which gives the lie to the dogmas and predictions of John C. Calhoun and his coadjutors, in that "republican institutions, in that "republican institutions, in the discharge of public duties of trust and induce, directing the administration of law single one of them in a position that requires to him, but he shall never rule Virginia." It is true the Constitution guarantees to him, but he shall never rule Virginia." It is true the Constitution guarantees to him, but he shall never rule Virginia." It is true the Constitution guarantees to him, but he shall never rule Virginia." It is true the Constitution guarantees to him, but he shall never rule Virginia." and justice, and as finished educators.

former owners. The Southern white man In the Postoffice with its one hundred and after the fashion of master and slave. The

sectional likes and dislikes.

Brain power, supported by the necessary energy and constancy, is calculated to subdue an prejudices. Upon this statement let the State ticket. us take a case: Here we are ten or eleven thousand in the District of Columbia, why have we not a healthy sentiment shaped in

Why is it that the colored child is compelled to go out of its school district to find another elsewhere, suitable to its complexion, to learn the branches of a comm

education? What is the matter here? Prejudice. We have felt the pressure of this demon here enough, and thank God we have begun, with legitimate means, to overcome it. Had the recent judicial and political wisdom and knowledge, as exhibited in the series of meetings on this mixed-school question in Washington, been held in the interest of the millions in the South, it would not only have given stronger evidence of philanthropy and patriotism, but had further convinced the white man that we are a unit on the question

CINCINNATI, August 9, 1873. Notwithstanding this is the "off year" in lively and exciting one. There are
"THREE RICHMONDS IN THE FIELD,"

ad candidate for reelec

tary distinctions.

Impressed with the principles of the completeness cannot be attained.

It is useless and nugatory for an American
State, and has since followed it through all
Another cause of indignation is 1864, in the shape of a shattered leg, which find a two-thirds vote in favor of amnesty to claims.

JUDGE ISAAC C. COLLINS, the nominee of the Liberal convention on the 30th ult., who is personally a very affable, pleasant gentleman, rather a mild type of admittance or compelled to accept an inferior unscrupulous Walker campaign of '69. lorn hope." The Liberals of Ohio are mostly confined within the limits of Hamilton county, and here alone will the Judge hindered." half century. However, the Liberals are to try to adopt a policy which shall unite all entering upon is over 1849, in which case Cincinnati will have the only Liberal Senator and Representative in

"UNCLE BILLY ALLEN,"

"Uncle Billy" was chairman of the committee in Congress to report upon the "bill "great confusion followed."

In that Convention, and, and others maimed and wounded. Then General Camby sent us the troops. We cannot forthe declare war against Mexico," and made Having attended the meetings of the get the savage nature of the foe displayed but to assist in the general elevation of the mittee in Congress to report upon the "bill people, and to combine their power and skill to declare war against Mexico," and made

field, that the Saxon felt less the master's wisdom and administrative ability of the necessities of myriads of souls just emancichanged their minds. It was hard work to

the same race? for men of the same race? for men of the same race are antagonistic.

As for instance the Catholic and Protestant Irish; these will no more affiliate than will water and oil unite. Yes, it is very discovered in the same race? for men of the same race are antagonistic.

The millions just raised to freedom must be properly educated in the principles of the cause of education and humanity will go whole of the cause of education and humanity will go whole of that afternoon in disorder and construction. At present no notice the Kemper faction: thus they spent the whole of the cause of education and humanity will go whole of that afternoon in disorder and construction. this State are beginning to chafe under the odium heaped upon them for their political cratic ranks, was nominated for Governor,

cannot be effected by our action, and as greatness.

Thurman is both able and honest, we won't She may

can dogma, that rights and political preferment should depend upon merit and not upon position. the mere accidents of race or color. If a Both parties are busily engaged at worl stranger visiting Ohio, should consider the preparing for the canvass. Colonel Hughes National authorities, or if he should make a some days. tour of the court houses, the State house, Richmond is not only a political center, the asylums and other buildings controlled but it is also a social center. by the Republican party, he would be justi-fied in believing that there are no colored your city, and several from the different pormen in the State belonging to that party, so tions of the State.
rigidly are we excluded from anything which We have any no holding." And the call is signed by Peter to enjoy themselves finely H. Clark, J. S. Tyler, John Booker, Lewis D. Easton, and J. T. Williams.

Colonel Harian is the only Federal ap-school in Camslen, New Jersey.

We can feel but highly honored by the pointee in the State. Mr. Clark was offered a sort of detective position in the Pension Bureau, which he very respectfully declined.

We can feel but highly honored by the setting apart of so much of your paper last week to Virginia affairs, and we feel our-Left alone in the world at the age of 13, bear upon their face the mark of having been A careful survey of the condition of our

occur to the heads of the departments to yours to represent us, there will be no diffi-give some of our representative men a place culty in deciding the question, "What shall ") he left his studies at the age of leading man dare not imperil his own influ-

THE SCHOOL QUESTION now-Liberty party, Free Soil of the State. We are denied "mixed schools," To the Editors of the New National Exsatisfactory civil rights bill.

the Editors of the New National Eco and Citizen

the United States Congress.

In my last communication I promised to life to the firm, soyal, mintary communication. If my last communication of the workings of the General Canby. A murderous onslaught Conservative Convention which met in this was made on a defenceless company of colored Conservative Convention which met in this was made on a defenceless company of colored city. When the Lynchburg Convention was men and women on the Court-house green, in session, the Democratic papers of this August 9, 1869, by apparent Virginia Ku State delighted in making fun of the delegates Klux, to avenge the Republican vote of the in that Convention; and, when there was colored men. A black man was killed and

bigher civilization flowing into England, commerce, the intermarrying of Norman and Saxon, or some brave deed done upon the Saxon the to conservative Co

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I am aware that many object to going South, supposing that the existing prejudice is too alarming to be overcome. I readily grant the truthfulness of the unhappy state of of the unha the truthfulness of the unhappy state of things; but as colored American citizens it things; but as colored American citizens it will not do to shrink from party prejudices, if they are not remedied before the October streams might turn scores of mills, and thus election we propose to let all county nomina- enable her to send flour to all parts of this tions of the party go by default. We will country and others; but her bitter invectives adopt the "passive policy" and vote only against the National Government, and her The Republican majority in the Senate to all other States—a relic of her former

> She may, indeed, talk about her Washing take it very hard to have him returned.
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> The committee say that: "Republican the hearts of his countrymen;" but until constituencies in the North, fail to recognize she believes and carries into execution the the merit of colored men among them, egreat principles laid down by one of her although a generous example is given by greatest sons (Thomas Jefferson) that " 4tt colored constituencies in the South, who not men are endowed by their Creator with cerunfrequently set aside their own favorite tain inglienable rights, among which are men, to show their devotion to the Republi-

> race of the men appointed to office by the and G. P. Ramsdell have been in the city

We have any number of pic-nics, and the might look like an equality of right in office old folks, as well as the young ones, seem

A large delegation will go up from this just been promoted from a first to a secondplace, and already the party organs begin to class clerkship in the Sixth Auditor's Office advise us what to do and how to do it. Of of the Treasury Department; and also Mr. course we need advice, and return our W. F. Armistead, originally from Portsmouth, Virginia, but now principal of a

people in the State shows us that they are White office holders never give positions improving wonderfully, and whenever we

Yours, very truly,

LOTTSBURG, VA., August 2, 1873. Lynchburg has confirmed the choice of

What possibility of a new heaven and a

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Democrat, but hardly the man to lead a "forsubstitute; railroad and steamboat managers

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awful summer, when we owed protection of In my last communication I promised to life to the firm, loyal, military commander,

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